

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Eduard Bruehwiler *et al.*

Art Unit: 3726

Application No.: **10/775,125**

Examiner: Cozart, Jermie E.

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For: Method of Installing Spiral Threaded Inserts and  
Installation Tool for Carrying out the Method

**Via EFS-Web**

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

**Mail Stop AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated 11 July 2006, which set a three-month shortened statutory period of response thereto, please amend the above-captioned patent application as follows. A Petition for a three-month extension of time, and the fee for the Petition, is filed concurrently herewith.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

*Kindly rewrite Claims 1-26 as follows:*